

September 6, 2011

Quarter 1, Week 8

## CPSC Weekly Update

...words of wisdom from John and important dates to remember

### *From the Director...*

Dear CPSC Families,

Many of you have already met Amy Elmore, our new After School Program Director, who is wrapping up her first quarter and gearing up for our intersession camps. CPSC is very lucky to have Amy leading the program along with our two returning lead counselors, Erin (spelling?) and Georgi (spelling?). The team has picked up where former ASP director Esther Quinn left off, offering eight clubs, including guitar, building, Spanish and Mandarin. Next quarter ASP will offer a total of ten clubs, adding African drumming and Art. The clubs are a wonderful way to expose your child to enriching learning opportunities with friends in a familiar setting.

Many families are in the process of firming up intersession plans. Check out our ASP team's Intersession Camp line up at <http://www.cpscnc.org/CPSCCamps>. Camps include *The Crafty Kid*, *Graphic Novel*, *Game on*, *Sports Fan!* and *Drama-Rama*. Amy, Erin, Georgi and the other ASP counselors are excited to dive into these themes. Give one a try this intersession.

Finally, the ASP is a lot like your child's classroom and relies on parent donations to help support its needs. If you've been wondering what to do with old games and art supplies that haven't been touched for the longest time, consider donating them to the after school program. Here are some items worth donating:

- arts and crafts supplies
- athletic equipment
- dress up clothing
- board games
- sand toys
- building materials such as Legos

Thanks for your support,

Yours,  
**John**

### ***MARK YOUR CALENDAR!***

Wed, Sept. 7	<b>Early Dismissal</b> for all students (ASP begins at 1:30PM)
Thur., Sept. 8	Website Committee meeting at 4:30pm in Aaron's room
Fri., Sept. 9	<b>Grandparent Muffin Morning</b> for grades K- 2, 8:30 – 9:30 AM
Sun., Sept. 11	<b>ALL SCHOOL PICNIC</b> at Forest Hills Park, 4-7PM
Mon, Sept. 12	<b>Grandparent Muffin Morning</b> for grades 3-5, 8:30 – 9:30 AM
Sat, Sept. 17	<b>ALL SCHOOL WORKDAY</b> , 9:00AM – 12:00PM
Tue., Sept. 20	Teacher Appreciation Luncheon
Tue., Sept. 20	<b>Parent Discussion Group: Social Development</b> from 6:45-7:45pm
Wed., Sept. 21	Board Meeting, 6pm in the Big room

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